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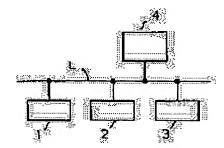
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## (54) DATA TRANSMITTER

## (57) Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To easily recognize the status of the transmitter connected to a bus with a simple configuration by receiving a status request code on the bus, sending its own transmitter member to the bus and allowing an operation display section to fetch the transmitter number.

SOLUTION: A management operation display device 4 such as a personal computer is connected to a bus L and a status request code to request a status to a transmitter connecting to, e.g. the bus request code is sent to the bus L by the operation display device 4. Each of transmitters 1–3 receives the status request code and when itself is in the operating state, the transmitter sends its own transmitter number and a status reply code to the bus L. The operation display device 4 receives the information data to detect how many transmitters and which transmitters are connected to the bus L based on the presence of the reply of the transmitter number. Then an operation means is operated as required and the connection state of the transmitter or the like is displayed on a display means so as to allow the operator to recognize it.



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